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1. a. A party of former Siebel aircraft personnel arrived in Leipzig by train from the USSR on 2 December 1953. On arrival at Leipzig, their papers were checked and they were allowed to proceed to their homes. It was first proposed that all personnel should proceed to Dresden and Pirna areas, because it was not intended that work should be found for them in their home area (Halle). The following is a list of those who have returned, as far as could be ascertained:

Dr. Dunken	Steffens
Kornack	Schail
Froelich	Szuka
Horn	Treuter
Herrmeier	Ufer
Kaul	Wilmsen
Kokosch	Winter(?)
Kuhnert	Dr. Wede
Michalek	Zuellke (father)
Ruffert	

- b. The following are believed to have remained in the USSR:

Heinsohn
Roessing
Dr. Thielemann
Stollberg
Zuellke (son)

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2. a. [redacted] a specialist had instructions from Roessing to introduce himself to Ulbricht and to act on his behalf in the matter of aircraft construction in East Germany. Roessing had written to Ulbricht six months ago, but had received no reply.

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b. [redacted] the returning Siebel personnel should endeavor to obtain employment in the former Siebel aircraft factory, Halle (now Hallische Backereimaschinenbaufabrik), where construction of aircraft is once again taking place.

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c. [redacted]

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